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Sir:

The undersigned attorney for the applicant identified above requests an indication of the status of processing of this application.

An interview with the Examiner was conducted on August 8, 2006. It was decided that the pending Office Action issued in this case would be withdrawn and a new Office Action would be mailed to the undersigned. The undersigned has heard nothing further from the Office in this matter.

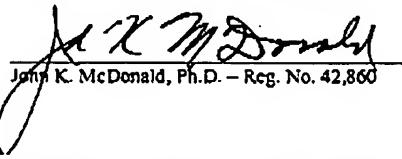
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